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Yoshihiro NAKAMI et al.

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application--Filing Date Granted dated July 20, 2004, Applicants hereby attach the following: 1) a signed Declaration and Power of Attorney form; 2) an English translation of the specification, claims, and abstract; 3) nine (9) pages of formal drawings; 4) a Certificate of Translation; and 5) the copy of the Notice to be returned with this response.

Also attached is our Check No. 12559 for \$1,872.00 in payment of the filing fees and surcharges (please note that the assignee, Seiko Epson Corporation, is a large entity). The Commissioner is authorized to charge any other fees that may be due to our Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. MIPFP042).

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> An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below. however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 385 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Applicant must file an English translation of the application, the \$ 130 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i). unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Because your specification was filed in a language other than English, the Office was unable to determine the number of claims submitted. Additional claim fees may be due once the number of claims can be determined.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

 Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:

■ The drawing figures contain text that is not in English (including, for example, a flow chart that was originally not in English that has been marked up to include the English text) (see 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2) and 37 CFR 1.52(d)(1)). See Figure(s) 2 - 12.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$580 for a Small Entity

- \$385 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$65 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- \$130 for English translation surcharge required.

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